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Commissioner for Patents  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

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Sir:

Petitioner respectfully requests a three-month extension of time within which to file a response to the Official Action dated April 1, 2009, to expire October 1, 2009. The charge of \$555 to cover the three-month extension of time fee is paid herewith by credit card.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 11-0980.

Respectfully submitted,

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